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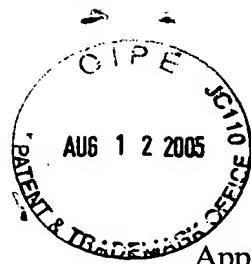
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Responsive to the Office Action and Restriction Requirement mailed July 15, 2005, applicant elects Species I, claims 1-4, with traverse.

Reconsideration and removal of the restriction requirement is respectfully requested. Applicant believes that the application may be most efficiently examined if all groups identified by the Examiner were searched and examined at one time, and such action is respectfully requested, MPEP 803.

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